

CONFERENCE FLOOR ACTIONS OF THE 70th GENERAL SERVICE CONFERENCE

Due to concerns about the time constraint limitations regarding the amount of business that could be managed during the 70th Virtual General Service Conference, prior to the Conference the trustees' Committee on the General Service Conference approved a motion to allow Floor Actions during a specified period of time at the end of the Conference and that each would be considered for a vote to decline to consider. If the item was not declined it would automatically be forwarded to the trustees' Committee on the General Service Conference for consideration.

Floor Actions

The following items were moved forward to the trustees' Committee on the General Service Conference:

- The Finance Committee expand item #2 that will be forwarded to the 71st Conference to include the proposal to revise the pie chart percentages, in order to emphasize more clearly that any percentages included in the pamphlet are only suggestions and examples, not recommendations.
- The General Service Conference consider developing a PSA about Alcoholics Anonymous geared toward minorities.
- The 70th General Service Conference approve the slate of Directors for A.A. World Services, Inc. as originally submitted:

Beau Bush
Mary Cumings
Jimmy Dean
Deborah Koltai
Jan Lembke
David Noll
Greg Tobin
Carolyn Walsh
John Weis

- The pamphlet "A.A. for the Black and African-American Alcoholic" be updated to include fresh stories and a new title that is respectful and inclusive.
- The slate of Directors of A.A. World Services, Inc., as submitted by the Conference Committee on Trustees, be approved.

- The launch of Google AdWords Grants by the General Service Office be halted until the 71st General Service Conference convenes and approves that launch, and that the “Ad Hoc Committee Progress Report - Google Grants and the 7th Tradition,” from the trustees’ Finance Committee, dated March 30, 2020, be immediately released to all members of the 70th General Service Conference.

Floor Action Declined for Consideration

- Since many agenda items from the shortened 70th Virtual General Service Conference will be forwarded to the 71st General Service Conference in 2021, the 71st General Service Conference Committee on Trustees consider the extension of the 71st General Service Conference by as many as three working days and that consideration be offered regardless of whether the 71st General Service Conference is face-to-face or held digitally.